

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the paragraph on page 5, the paragraph of lines 21-27, as follows:

Multiple mutations are separated by plus signs, i.e.:

Ala30Asp + Glu34Ser or A30N+D+E34S

representing mutations in positions 30 and 34 substituting alanine and glutamic acid for asparagine aspartic acid and serine for alanine and glutamic acid, respectively. Multiple mutations may also be separated as follows, i.e., meaning the same as the plus sign:

Asp30Ala/Ser34Glu or N30A/S34E